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(*d*) whether there is any proposal to level up these tanks and construct house therein?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH: (*a*) Six.

(*b*) Two.

(*c*) About 500 persons have encroached upon the tank bed of one of these tanks (Anuppandi tank) and put up houses. The encroachers have applied for assignment and it is under the consideration of the Collector of Madurai.

(*d*) No.

Madras Land Reforms (Fixation of Ceiling on Land) Act, 1961.

a* 56 *Q.*—SRI N. R. THIAGARAJAN: Will the Hon. the Minister for Food be pleased to state—

(*a*) the extent of lands taken over by Government after the implementation of the Madras Land Reforms (Fixation of Ceiling on Land) Act, 1961;

(*b*) the places where and the persons from whom they have been taken over;

(*c*) the amount of compensation to be paid for those lands; and

(*d*) how the Government propose to utilize these lands?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH: (*a*) The process of taking over surplus lands from persons holding lands in excess of the ceiling area is in various stages. In one case only, the final stage has been reached and the lands have been taken over by the Government. The extent taken over in this case is 128.25 ordinary acres (equivalent to 42.35 standard acres).

(*b*) The lands taken over by the Government were held by Sri T. M. Jambulinga Mudaliar of Neyveli, South Arcot district, and they lie in Neyveli, Melpappanapattu, Kathalai, Manakuthi and Veppankurichi villages, South Arcot district.

(*c*) Compensation for the lands taken over has not yet been determined.

(*d*) The question is under consideration.

DR. H. V. HANDE: Sri, have the Government any assessment of the extent of land that they are likely to take over from this fixation?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH: I do not have the acreage.

SRI M. SUBBIAH CHETTIAR: Sir, what are the Government going to do with these acres taken over by them? Are they going to distribute them to the poor people or the landless people?

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THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : It will be distributed to the landless people if there is no other demand for it. But in this particular case, which I have just mentioned, most of the land will be required by the Neyveli Lignite Corporation, Limited.

SRI K. S. ABDUL WAHAB : May I know, Sir, the reason why less number of acres are taken over under this Act ?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : It is not a question of acquisition. The various stages of the implementation of the Act are in progress, and we expect substantial work to be done at the beginning of the next year.

SRI K. BALASUBRAMANYA AYYAR : In view of the great need for stepping up food production, will the Government think of the proposal to suspend this operation for some time and taking it up after two or three years?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : The implementation of the Act is in progress and the work will be completed soon.

திரு. என். வி. நடராசன் : தலைவர் அவர்களே, எந்த நோக்கத்திற்காக நில உச்சவரம்பு சட்டம் கொண்டுவரப்பட்டதோ அதை தீவிரப்படுத்தும் வகையில் சர்க்கார் நடவடிக்கை எடுக்குமா?

கனம் திரு. வி. ராமய்யா : சர்க்காருடைய நடவடிக்கை தீவிரமாகத்தான் இருக்கிறது. சட்டத்திற்கும் விதிமுறைகளுக்கும் தக்கபடி அனுசரித்து செய்யவேண்டும். பெரும்பகுதியான நிலம் அடுத்த வருஷ ஆரம்பத்தில் இந்த சட்ட அடிப்படையில் அரசாங்கத்திற்கு வரும்.

DR. H. V. HANDE : Have the Government any proposal to start a model farm after taking over these lands? 3–10 p.m.

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : It has no relation to this action.

Leave rules applicable to teachers in Aided Secondary Schools

* 71 *Q.*—SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHY : Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to lay on the Table of the House a copy of the leave Rules applicable to teachers in Aided Secondary Schools from 1st April 1964?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : It is open to the managements to frame their own leave rules for teachers and others working in their institutions. The Government have not framed any set of leave rules for teachers in Aided Secondary Schools.

SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHY : Are the Government prepared to admit for purposes of salary the leave taken by the teachers as per the rules of the management ?